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Re: **Application Serial No.:** 09/233,249  
**Applicants:** Harold V. Putman  
**Title:** Automated Transaction Machine And Method  
**Docket No.:** D-1086

Sir:

Please find enclosed Applicants' Response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2001.

Three additional independent claims and sixteen additional total claims are presented herein. Please charge the fees associated with these claims (\$528) and any other fee due to Deposit Account 09-0428 (InterBold).

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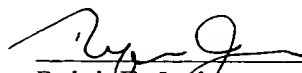
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Serial No.: 09/233,249 ) Patent Examiner  
Filed: January 19, 1999 ) Jeffrey D. Carlson  
For: Automated Transaction Machine )  
And Method )

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2001 kindly amend the above identified  
Application without prejudice as follows:

**In the Claims**

Kindly substitute the following amended claim 13, for claim 13 currently pending.

13. (Once amended) The apparatus including the first automated transaction machine  
according to claim 12, and further comprising:

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